Hoihow.

The British steamer Formosa, from Tamsui

14th March, Amoy 15th, and Swetow 17th, re-

ports from Tameui to Amoy had moderate N.E.

winds and overcast weather. From Amoy to

In Swatow stra. Hangehow and Yiksang.

From Swatow to Hongkong calm and dense fog. Children.



HONGKONG, TUESDAY, MARUH 20rs, 1888. 日八初月二年四十緒光 二拜禮 號十二月三英港香 PRICE \$21 PER MONTE 號二十二百四千九第 No. 9422 BANKS. INTIMATIONS INTIMATIONS. INTIMATIONS. NEW ADVERTISEMENT PERPENS. AUCTIONS. NEW ORIENTAL BANK NO MORE TOOTH ACHE TTENTION is directed to the follow- THE NOTICE. PUBLIC AUCTION. ARRIVALS. A ing forms of Policies granted by the CORPORATION, LIMITED. CATHAY KUHN & Co. CHAPTER March 18, GLENEALLOCH, British str., 1,418, STANDARD LIFE OFFICE: FINE Undersigned has received instructions DENTIFRICE ELIXIR, POWDER AND PASTE ARE NOW SELLING OFF to Sell by Public Auction, These are Policies by a fixed R. Cormack, London 25th January, and R. R. F. F. BENEDICTINES number of premiums, each pre THIS DAY, HEIR FINE ART COLLECTION Singapore 12th March, General.-JARDINE, of the ABBAY of SOULAG (Gironde, France) mium securing a proportionate Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET the 20th March, 1868, at 2 P.M., at his REGULAR CONVOCATION of the MATHESON & Co. Soles Rooms, Queen's Road, SUNDRY HOUSEHOLD part of the sum assured in the Dom Maguelonne, Prior CHOICE and VALUABLE ASSORTMENT A above LODGE will be held in FREE-March 18, Angers, British steamer, 2,077 event of the Policy being dis-GOLD MEDALS: Brussels 1880—London 18 of JAPANESE BRONZES, CLOISONNE MASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on-MONDAY, BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN continued. For example, a person FURNITURE, &c., THE HIGHEST REWARDS. Pinkham, Saigon 13th March, Rice and IVORY, LACQUER, SILK and SATIN the 26th inst., at 8.3 for 9 P.M., precisely. who is assured for £1,000 with AND THE COLONIES. Invented in the year 1373 by the Prior Pierre Comprising: KIMMOS, KAKIMMOS, SCREENS Paddy.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. VISITING COMPANIONS ARE CORDIALLY IN PAYMENT TAPESTRY COVERED DRAWING premiums ceasing in 10 years, and DRESSING GOWNS and THE BANK receives money on Deposit JACKETS March 18, Phua Chom Klao, Pritish steamer, who desired to discontinue hi "The daily use of a few drops of the DENTI ROOM SUITE Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues QUILTS, WALL DECORATIONS 1.012, J. Fowler, Bungkok 12th March, Go POLICIES Hongkong, 20th March, 1888. CRET NNE COVERED SOFA CHAIRS price Elixir of the R.R. F. F. Benedicpayments at the end of 5 years, BRONZE, JEWELLERY, SWORDS, COM-Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, would receive a Policy for £500 and EASY CHAIRS, CHIMNEY GLASSES TIMES in water, prevents and cares the decay of neral.—YUEN FAT HONG. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES PLETE SUITS of ANTIQUE ARMOUR and Transacts Banking and Agency Business the teeth, which are whitened and consolidated, on which no further or ordinary March 18, Dunung, German steamer, 921, C. F. and PICTURES. generally on terms to be had on application. DINING TABLE, SIDE BOARDS. promiums would require to be while the gums are perfectly fortified and S. S. "UPPINGHAM," Bertelson, Saigon 13th March, Rice .-WHATNOIS, DINNER, DESSERT and restored. FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, Interest allowed on Deposits:-Tung Kee. These Policies are payable to NANG AND SINGAPORE. BREAKFAST SETS, GLASS & PLATED "It is a real service rendered to our readers to Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. WARE, DUPLEX LAMPS. CARD TAthe Life assured on his attaining Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. March 19, Sachsen, German steamer, 2,874, A. pointout to them this old and useful preparation. ENDOW-ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed the age of 45, 50, 55, 60 or 65 or Fixed for 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum. BLES. GLASS HOOK CASE, and WRITthe most cularive, and the only Preserva-1 that all goods, with the exception of Jaeger, Shanghai 15th March, General,-MENT GREATIY REDUCED PRICES. TIVE-from all DENTAL DISOBDERS." POLICIES. | to his representatives, should be On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent. per | ING TABLES. Opium, are being landed at their risk. into the MELCHERS & to. predecease the age agreed upon.
These two forms of Policies are specially Double Brass BEDSTEADS. Double and Established 1807 Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf & Godown Annum on the daily balance. Messrs. KUHN & Co., in thanking the March 19. FORMOSA, British steamer, 687, P Single IRON BEDSTEADS. WARD-General Agent Shouin, 3, rue Huguerie, 3 Company at Kowloon, whence and/or from the residents of Hongkong, Canton, and Macao for suitable for residents in the East who are in a APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL ROBES, CHEST OF DRAWERS, TOILET Hall, Tamsni 14th March, Amoy 15th, and Bordeaux: wharves delivery may be obtained. their liberal patronage, regret to state that, Swatow 17th, General Douglas LA- position to pay a moderate premium while in BANK Corporation, in Liquidation, or the TABLE and MARBLE TOP WASHSTAND. Depots in Hongkong 1 Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless owing to the opening of a Branch House in eccipt of a good income, and who do not wish to BALANCES of such Claims purchased on Two JINRICKSHAS. A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. actice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M. TRAIK & Co. London, where Mr. Kuhn's presence is an be burdened with the payment of premiums when advantageous terms. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. absolute necessity, they are compelled to tempo-March 19, Uppingham, British steamer, 1,430 THEMS OF SALE.—As Customary. Agency of the NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE they retire to England, or from business. Sold by all Chemists, Perfumers, Hair-No Claims will be admitted after the Goods rarily close their Hongkong establishments; but Newcomb, Liverpool 28th January, and Full particulars as to rates, &c., may be Society. J. M. ARMSTRONG. dressers, &c. have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining --due notice will be given of the resumption of E. W. RUTTER, obtained on application to the after the 25th instant, will be subject to rent. Auctioneer. Singapore 12th March, General. - ADAM-Business. Meanwhile all orders sent to KUHN TOSEPH GILLOTT Hongkong, 17th March, 1888. BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED Manager, Hongkong Branch. All Claims against the steamer must be pre-& Co., YOKOHAMA, will receive the most SON, BELL & Co. STEEL PENS. Hongkong, 12th March, 1887. sented to the undersigned on or before the 25th Agents, Hongkong. careful attention. March 19, ANADYR, French steamer, 2,489, De PUBLIC AUCTION MEDAL. instant, or they will not be recognised. GOLD STANDARD LIFE OFFICE TT ONGKONG& SHANGHAIBANKING. All Accounts against the Firm should be sent lacroix, Shanghai 17th March, Mails and No Fire Insurance has been effected. in on or before the 3rd April next, and all INVESTED FUNDS EXCEED£6,500,000 CORPORATION. ENGLISH AMERICAN & HONGKONG General -- TESSAGERIES MARITIMES. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Sold by all outstanding Accounts due to the firm settled by Annual Income exceeds £900,000 MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. ADAMSON, BELL & Co., March 19, Anchises, British steamer, 1,804, Stationers and Dealers. that date. PIANO, ORGAN, &c. Wm. P. Lapage, Shanghai via Amoy 14th RESERVE FUND 3,900,000 KUHN & Co., . SITUATION WANTED. Hongkong, 19th March, 1888, RESERVELIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 7,500,000 Opposite the Hongkong Hotel. THE Undersigned has received instructions March, General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hongkong, 19th March, 1888. I from H. SMITH, Esq., to Sell by Public March 19, ALWINE, German steamer, 400, T. N EXPERIENCED MERCHANT, 31, COURT OF DIRECTORS :--"GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS Samuelsen, Pakhoi 15th March, and Hoi-HONGKONG AMATEUR seeks post of trust. First rate connec-Hon. JOHN BELL-TRYING—Chairman. THURSDAY. ATHLETIC SPORTS tions with English and German Manufacturers FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND FOR SALE. how 17th, General.—WIELER & Co. the 22nd March, 1888, at 2 P.M., W. H. FORBES, Esq.—Deputy Chairman. for consignments. Speaks and corresponds in Hon. A. P. Mc Ewen. TO BE HELD ON SINGAPORE. . D. Bottomley, Esq. at the Undersigned's Sales Rooms, Duddell March 19, Cheang Hock Kian, British str. English, German and French. S. C. Michaelsen, Esq. THE CRICKET GROUND, THE Company's Steamship W. G. Brodie, Esq. 955, F. Webb, Singapore 12th March, Gen-H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. H. Hoppius. Esq. J. S. Moses, Esq. Communications will be received under THE WHOLE OF HIS L. Poesnecker, Esq. SATURDAY, THE 7TH APRIL. eral-Bun Hin Chan. "GLENFALLOCH," GLASGOW SMITH'S ELEGANT AND SUBSTANTIAL E. A. Selemon, Esq. B. Layton, Hsq. March 19, Anton, German steamer, 396, E. Office of this Paper. having arrived from the above ports Consignees CHICF-MANAGER, FURNITURE, The following is the LIST of EVENTS, viz.:-T O B A C C O S: Hongkong, 10th March, 1888. of Cargo by her and by the S. S. Erin and Aereboe, Haiphong 15th March, and Hoi- ${f Comprising}:=$ Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esc. -1—100 yards Flat Race, 2 prizes. Canada, from New York, are hereby informed GARNET REP COVERED DRAWING how 17th March, General.-WIELER & Co. Managee. 2—Putting the Shot, 1 prize. 3—120 yards Handicap, 2 prizes. EPILEPSY, Hysteria, Convulsions and all Nervous Diseases are radically cured by that their goods are being landed at their risk ROOM SUITE, English-made MAHOGANY Shanghai-Ewen Cameron, Esq. March 19, LOMBARDY, British steamer, 1,726, into the godowns of the Hengkong and Kow-CENTRE TABLE, SIDE and CARD LONDON BANKERS—LONDON & COUNTY BANK. 4-High Jump, 1 prize. the use of LAROYENNE'S anti-nervous loon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, C. S. Preston, Saigon 15th March, Rice .-SMITH'S CUT NAVY. TABLES, PICTURES, ENGRAVINGS. 5-Quarter Mile Flat Race, 2 prizes. at Kowlcon, whence delivery may be obtained. P. & O. S. N. Co. Hongrong-Interest Allowed. MIRRORS LACE CURTAINS, CARPETS 6-0 ne Mile Walking Race, 1 prize. Chemist of the Paris Academy of Medicine. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless March 19, Fushun, Chinese steamer, 1,503, On Current Deposit Account at the rate of RUGS, &c., &c. 7-Throwing Cricket Ball, 1 prize. This Mode of TREATMENT was experienced notice to the contrary be given before Noon. SMITH'S FLAKED GOLD LEAF. American-made BLACK & GOLD CHEF per cent, per Annum on the daily balance. 8-Pole Jumping. Croad, Shanghai 16th March, General.by Dr. Fremy, at the central hospital (H) TO-DAY. On Fixed Deposits :--9-Soldiers Half Mile Race, 3 prizes. FONIER, PLATE GLASS Back. Dieu) in his medical department; by D Cargo remaining undelivered after the 26th C. M. S. N. Co. For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. COTTAGE PIANO, by the Apollo Co. 10—Half Mile Race (Handicap), 2 prizes. instant will be subject to rent. FAUVEL; at Dr. Blanche's private haspite! March 19, Fushiki Maru, Japanese str., 1,219, For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. learly New. 1—120 yards Hurdle Race, 2 prizes. SMITH'S GLASGOW MIXTURE. member of the Academy and by Dr. RABBING No Fire Insurance has been effected For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. SPLENDID PARLOUR ORGAN, by W. Thompson, Nagasaki 13th March, Coals. 12-Boys Race, 200 yards (Handicap) for Boys WITCH, member of both the Academy of Paris, Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Hamlin & Mason, with Extra Stops... LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. -Mitsui Bussan Kaishia. under 15, open to European Schools, and the Institute of France. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Teak and Ebony SIDEBUARD DINING CEEDITS granted on approved Securities, and March 19, CARDIGANSHIRE, British str., 1,623 These eminent Doctors have ascertained of Agents. every Moscription of Banking and Exchange SMITH'S GOLDEN BIRDSEYE. ROOM SUITE DINNER & DESSERT the constant and periodical decrease of the fits, | Hongkong, 19th March, 1888 -Veterans-Flat Race, 120 yards (Handicap). Clarke, Nagasaki 14th March, General .business transacted SERVICE CUTLERY GLASS & PLATED Open to all, 35 years old and of 10 years which are soon after radically cured. ADAMSON, BELL & Co. DRAFTS granted on London and the chief WARE, FENDERS & IRONS, IRON residence in India, China or the Tropics, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. This Preparation is combined with Sal Am-DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, commercial piaces in Europe, India, Australia, BEDSTEADS, Lady's Double Winged moniac and Oxide of Thyle. LIMITED. WARDROBES, MARBLE TOP WASIL-28 America, China and Japan. 14-Long Jamp, 1 prize. Hongkong, 15th February, 1888. CLEARANCES. Price of a Bottle for France, 20 fr. INGSTAND and Lady's DRESSING TA The Treatment is never to be continued after FOR SWATOW, -AMOY, AND TAMSUI. 15-Three-Legged Race, 1 prize. TELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. BLE. BEDROOM SUITE. CHANDE Chief Manager. 16-Small Girls Race (Handicap), under 7 years. three or six weeks at the utmost and 4 Bottles | f | THE Company's Steamship 19TH MARCH Hongkong, 25th January, 1888. LIERS, LAMPS, &c. NEW BOOKS AND NEW EDITIONS. - PARLOUR and COOKING STOVES, 17-220 yards Elat Race (Handicap), 2 prizes. .Chi-yuen, Chinese str., for Singapore. General Depot: at LAROYENNE'S, Place NOTICE. Dixon's Dictionary of Idiomatic English Royale, CLERMONT-FERRAND (France) and at Captain T. Hall, will be despatched for the Bisagno, Italian str., for Singapore. 18—One Mile Flat Race, 2 prizes. Phrases. CATALOGUES will be issued prior to Sale, and 19—ConsolationRace, 1 prize. [39] above Ports TO-MORROW, the 21st inst., TOULES OF THE HONGKONG all Chemists. Aron, Nor. bark, for Mantung. Techno-Chemical Receipt Book. the above will be on View on WEDNESDAY 20-International Tug-of-War, I prize. SAVINGS BANK at DAYLIGHT Kutsang, British str., for Swatow. Marine Engineer's Almanack, 1888. For Freight or Passage, apply to TIMBER. A Tale of Three Lions, by Rider Haggard. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery. With the exception of Events Nos. 9, 12, and Manuel, Spanish bark, for Manila. 1.—The business of the above Bank will be DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., 16, the above are Open to all Gentlemen FITHE Undersigned. Agents for Messrs. Lady Grace by Mrs. Honry Wood. G. R. LAMMERT conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai General Managers. The Bride of the Nile by George Ebers. AMATEURS, who are Members or Visitors of the | E.E. ABRAHAMSON & Co., Sandakan DEPARTURES. Banking Corporation, on their promises in Hongkong, 19th March, 1888. Burton's Practical Guide to Photographic Hongkong Club, Club Germania, Ladies' Re- British North Borneo, are now prepared to Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 Hongkong, 16th March, 1888. and Photo Mechanical Printing Processes. March 19, CLARA, German str., for Saigon. creation Club, Hongkong Cricket Club, Victoria submit for inspection Samples of hard and soft INDO CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION to 3: Saturdays, 10 to 1. The Portfolic Volume 1887. March 19, Bylcia, German bark, for Tientsin Recreation Club, and also to COMMISSIONED TIMBERS suitable for Wharves, Building and COMPANY, LIMITED. PUBLIC AUCTION 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at Almanack de Gotha, 1888. March 19, MEEFOO, Chinese str., for Whampoa MILITARY and NAVAL OFFICERS. one time will not be received. No depositor General purposes. Hef-Kalendar, 1888. FOR SHANGHAI VIA SWATOW. Intending Competitors are requested to Morch 19, Sophie, German corv., for Nagasaki HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PLANO, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. Beard and Rockwell's Medical and Surgical send in their ENTRIES (on the paper forms (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having Agents. March 19, BISAGNO, Italian str., for Bombay. Uses of Electricity. which can be obtained at the Hongkong Club, for Chefoo, Tientsin, Newchwang, Han-Hongkong 2nd November, 1886. \$100 or more at their credit may at their option The Dragon, Image and Demon, or the Three March 19, Oxus, French str., for Shanghai. THE Undersigned has received instructions CRICKET CLUB. VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB Kow, and Ports on the YANGTSZE). transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang Religions of China-Confucianism, Bud-CLEARANCE SALE. "arch 19, KUTSANG, British str., for Swatow. 1 to Sell by Public Auction, on Messis, Kelly & Walsh, Messis, Lane, hism, and Taoism, by Rev. H. C. Da Bose THE Company's Steamship hal Banking Corporation on fixed deposit fo Crawford & Co., Messes. Falconer & Co.), March 19, Fushun, Chinese str., for Whampon. TESSES. C. GERARD & Co. of Amoy, 12 months at 5 per cent, per annum interest. Hayda's Dictionary of Dates. the 24th March, 1888, at 2 P.M., at the Re- to the Hon. Secretary not later "CANTON." 4.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per VI beg to intimate that owing to the New Japanese Illustrated Story Books. sidence of Captain W. E. CLARKE, No. 31, SATURDAY, the 31st Instant, on which date annum will be allowed to Depositors on their CLOSING OF BUSINESS, they are offering the Captain Bremner, will be despatched as above La Terre par Emile Zola. PASSENGERS. West Villa, corner of Pokfolum a Battery | ENTRIES Close. Balance of their Stock, consisting of SHIP. CHANDLER STORES, FANCY GOODS, TO-MORROW, the 21st inst., at NOON. daily balances. Pecheur D'Irlande par Pierre Loti. CHAS. H. THOMPSON, ARRIVED. Road West. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis L'Ami MacDonald par Max O'Rell. Per Sachsen, str., from Shanghai -- Mr. and Hon. Secretary. THE WHOLE OF HIS PROVISIONS, &c., &c., at a considerable rewith a Pass-Book, which must be presented with Le Service de la Sureté par G. Mace. HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Hongkong, 19th, March, 1888. Mrs. Ohlmer, Mrs. Hirth and children, Messrs General Managers. duction in prices. Intending Buyers can make each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must Affaire Clémenceau par Alex. Dumas fils. von Pustau and family, V, dal Ferro, Beuche Hongkong, 20th March, 1888. Comprising: very advantageous terms for Cash down. not make any entries themselves in their Pass-THE CHINESE INSURANCE COM-Le Pompon Vert par Gustave Toudouze. ROMAN SATIN COVERED DRAWING and Hung, and 95 Chinese. Books, but should send them to be written up Amoy, February, 1888. PANY, LIMITED. Les Séducteurs par "Gyp." FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. . ROOM SUITE, MIRRORS, PICTURES, Per Formosa, str., from Tamsui, &c.-Mr. and at least twice a year, about the beginning Pierre et Jean par Guy de Manpassant. "HE Spanish Steamer Mrs. Giles and family, Messrs, Liddell and CARPETS, RUGS, LACE-CURTAINS LIQUIDATION OF THE "COMPANIA NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. January and beginning of July. An Pays du Rire par Armand Silvestre. Black and Gold CORNICES, Black and Gold Pryde, and 94 Chinese. NAVIERA DE FILIPINAS." 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Trente Ans de Paris par Alphouse Daudet. "DON JUAN." NOTICE is hereby given that the SEVEN Per Fushun, str., from Shanghai.-Mr. No. CANTERBURY, &c. Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank Histoires Inconvenantes par Armand Silvestr HE LIQUIDATORS of the above Com- Captain Marquez, will be despatched as above MAHOGANY COTTAGE PIANO, by IN TEENTH ORDINARY MEETING Choy, and 47 Chinese. Business is forwarded free by the various pany have decided to pay a FIRST on THURSDAY, the 22nd inst., at FOUR P.M. Madame Chrysanthème par Pierre Loti. Per Phra Chom Klao, str., from Bangkok.of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Com-COLLABD & COLLABD, nearly new. British Post Offices in Hongkong and Chins KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKON EXTENSION DINING TABLE, CUT DIVIDEND of 15 per Cent. to the Share- For Freight or Passage, apply to Mr. von Krencki (German Consul), and 80 Chipany, will be held at the Head Office, Victoria, 7.-Withdrawals may be made on demand, holders or to their Legal Representatives or LERY, CROCKERY, GLASSand PLATED Hongkong, at NOON, on FRIDAY, the 23rd but the personal attendance of the Depositor or BREWER HAS-JUST RECEIVE Per Anchises, str., from Shanghai, &c-Mrs. WARE & DINING ROOM FURNITURE, instant, to receive the Report of Directors, Agents. his duly appointed Agent, and the production of Hougkong, 20th March, 1888. Tice and 2 children, and Capt. Bojaardo, for together with the Statement of Accounts to Payment will be made on and after the 8th LAMPS. &c. his Pass-Book are necessary. London, Mr. Tice, and 800 Chinese, for Hong-Large Stock of European Account Books Double IRON BEDSTEADS, SPRING | Slat December 1887. March on presentation of the Scrip at the For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank: FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK. MATTRESS and HAIR MATTRESS and |- The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company Office of Sar. Dn. ANGEL ORTIZ: ING CORPORATION. ready ruled. PILLOW, Lady's WARDROBE DRESS. will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 23rd Plaza de Cervantes, No. 6, Per Anadyr, str., from Shanghai. For Hong THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM-T. JACKSON. Piper on Poultry. A. ORTIZ. kong.-Mme. Scriwana, Rev. Lemonnier, ING TABLE with MIRROR, MARBLE instant, both days inclusive. SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. Chief Manager. GEO. ARMSTRONG. Messrs. Daron, Larmay, R. E. Pineo, A. TOP WASHINGSTAND and BED ROOM By Order of the Board, THE Company's Steamer Quain's Anatomy, 2 Vols. Hongkong, 1st September, 1887. Sopher, P. Blesky, and 4 Chinese. For Mar. SAML, J. GOWER, THE CHINA & JAPAN TELEPHONE Stirling's Practical Physiology. seilles.—LaComtesse de Bosredon and female servant, Mr. and Miss Williams, Mgr. Girand Poray. ICE CHEST, COOKING RANGE, Hongkong, 10th March, 1888. "PHRA CHOM KLAO." GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. COMPANY, LIMITED, Longman's Chess Openings. 'RICKSHA, Lady's CHAIR, Captain J. Fowler, will be despatched for the THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP Mgr. J. B. Laithon, Revs. J. M. Liberge, J. Dau-'I issiandier's Handbook of Photography. TENDERS will be received up to 9 A.M., on 13.—Praya Central Hongrong. above Ports on FRIDAY, the 23rd inst, at Catalogues will be issued prior to the Sale werschein, and an orphan of the Asyle de Ia S. COMPANY, LIMITED. ▲ MONDAY, 16th April, 18:8, for RENT-Barnet Smith's Victor Hugo. EIGHT A.M. Enfance. From Yekohama. For Hongkong. and the above will be on view on FRIDAY For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG, The TELEPHONE EXCHANGE is now in ING the following FARMS for THREE THE FIFTH ORDINARY GENERAL Seaton's Marine Engineering. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Mr. Geo. Pearce, and 3 Japanese. For Marseilles.—Messrs. I. Itzuki working order. MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS YEARS, from 1st July, 1888, viz :---Long Plush Brackets with Plate Glass backs. Subscription, \$80 per Annum. TERMS OF SALE.—As Customary. will be held at the Office of the Company, Praya and Okuma, and M. Vital Rousseau. From G. R. LAMMERT Large Plush Frames. The OPIUM FARM of the Territory of Electrical Material on sale, or hire. Hougkong, 20th March, 1888. Central, on FRIDAY, 23rd March, at THREE *Kobe.-For Hongkong.-Mr. Chrowato. For Sarawak, from Tanjong Datu to and Liquid Gold and Silver Paint. Electric Bells fitted and maintained. O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON, for the purpose Aden.-Mr. E. Jaffe. For Marseilles.-M. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VLA NAGA-Hongkong, 19th March, 1888. inclusive of the Baram River, a distance Agents for Electric Lighting. Stonehenge on the Dog. of receiving the Report of the General Mana-Stenakers, and Mr. Samo Reizo. SAKI, AND KOBE. Estimates free for all kinds of Electrical work. of 370 miles gers, declaring a Dividend, and electing a Con-Racing, Shooting, Fishing, Athletics and (Passing through the INLAND SEA). The GAMBLING FARM, from Tanjong HAROLD DOWSON, DEPARTED. sulting Committee and Auditors. Football in Badminton Library. Per Oxus. str., from Hongkong. For Shang THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Datu to and inclusive of the Sadong The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company hai.-Mrs. R. Andersen, Mr. and Mrs. H. G New French Books. River. Hongkong, 26th August, 1887. will be CLOSED from 9th to 23rd inst., bot Brown, Miss Louise Crawford, Master H. Jen-GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION "LOMBARDY," The ARRACK FARM, from Tanjong Date Lator's and Sterling's Text Book Human OTLER, PALMER days inclusive. will leave for the above places on SUNDAY, nings, Messrs. H. Dowley, G. W. Coutts, F. G. to and inclusive of the Sadong River. THE following Particulars of Sale of Crown RUSSELL & Co., Physiology. Nielsen, A. Robinson, E. E. Elias, Ho Lay Kee, ESTABLISHED IN 1815. the 25th instant, at DAYLIGHT. 2nd—Tenders must be written in English Land by Public Auction, to be held on General Managers. Short, S. S. Joseph and servant, and A. G. WALTER W. BREWER. E. L. WOODIN, and forwarded in Sealed Covers addressed to the [497] OF LONDON, BORDEAUX, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, Hongkong, 7th March, 1888. Wood and servant. For Kebe,-Mr. and Mrs. 271 Superintendent. UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL the spot, on Honourable the RESIDENT OF SARAWAK Bonninger, and Mr. and Mrs. Keates. MONDAY, MADRAS, LAHORE, KURRACHEE, &C. Hongkong, 20th March, 1888. NOTICE. KUCHIN, SARAWAK. OMINION ORGAN & PIANO Co. the 26th day of March, 1888, at 3 P.M., From Marseilles .- Mrs. Coults and daugh-3rd-Tenders for each Farm separately, and Are represented in China by OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY are published for general information. ter, Messrs. W. McDonald, Messrs. Tee Tse HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK a Tonder for the Three Farms Collectively, are Manufacturers of Cabinet, Combination. Sung, Ki Tse Ye, Hiermann, Kaymaker, and G. Messis, Jardine, Mathebon & Co. By Command COMPANY: LIMITED. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. Chapel and Pedal ARATHOON SETH. Picken. From Colombo.-Mr. E. Allen. From LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. & by THE Company's Steamship SIEMSSEN & Co.,,.... 4th—The Government does not bind itself to Singapore.-Mr. Crawford. From Saigon.-ORGANS. For the Colonial Secretary CHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are accept the highest or any Tender. M. Comte. Laganterie. For Kobs. - From Mar-Colonial Secretary's Office. H. E. REYNELL & Co. in Japan respectfully informed that, if upon their and Square and Upright 5th-The successful Tenderer or Tenderer "STENTOR," Hongkong, 17th March, 1888. seilles .-- Mr. S. Tomita. 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Honorone, March 20rg, 1888.

The first steamers of the sesson arrived at Tientsin on the 9th instant

We here that the Saigonnais has ceased to exist for want of subscribers. Pressure on our columns compels us to hold

over much interesting matter. The vessels composing the Peivang squadron are expected to leave Shanghai for the North

next week. The Agents (Messre D. Sassoon, Sons & Co.) inform us that the steamer Japan, from Calcutta, on he held the command at York for three years left Singapore yesterday for this port.

The N. D. L. steamer Suchsen has amongst her passengers from Shanghai the crews for the new Formosa steamers being constructed at the expiration of the current financial year.

From Jepan exchanges we note that three! the Emperor William. According to the return of the Curator of the

City Hall Museum. 150 Europeans and 2.114 ended the 18th instant.

The Agents (Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co.) inform us that the Glon Line steamer Glenogle, from London, left Singapore on Sunday morning for this port.

The Agents (Messrs, Adamson, Bell & Co.) inform us that the Shire Line steamer Glamorganshire, from London, left Singapore yester- kong and intended to have distributed among his day afternoon for this port.

to have resigned his post. The Count's successor is expected to arrive in Tokyo in May next. ken, is reported to have been in active eruption, fine, as was done in the opium case on board the since the 1st ultimo, scattering ashes and stones over the villages near the mountain, to the great

and constant terror of the inhabitants. The performance which was to be given by Hamilton's Dramatic Company last night at the Theatre Royal, City Hall, did not come off owing to sudden serious indisposition of Miss Maggie Ford. The entertainment will be given on

Thursday evening.

will play at the Officers' Mess, Murray Barracks, | their wages punctually on the day they were

following in the programme:-Fantasin "Fatinitza" Suppe.

Brigade Inspection to be hold by His Excellency Le had been physicking himself, as he had the Governor on the 5th April. The inspection not the means to pay a medical fee. Other is to take the form of competitions or sports, severe symptoms supervened, and still be the number of events being vineteen. Lieut- | fought with them, until at last, evidently Colonel Auderson will not as referee, and the apprehending the worst, he wrot the judges are the Hon. A. P. MacEwen, Hon. W. letter to his doctor with the greatest difficulty, M. Deane, Commander Rumsey, and Messrs. L. and was not in fact able to finish it. When we Mallory, H. J. H. Tripp, R. K. Leigh, and Wei | reflect on the easy-going way in which men

The steamer Deepdale, which arrived at Shangbai from London on the 12th instant. went alongside the China Merchants' Lower Wherves to discharge twenty-two very heavy guns, some of which weigh as much as 44 tons. the heaviest, we believe, ever brought to China. They were manufactured by Messrs. Armstrong some of the living. Mr. Stead indeed carried & Co., and their destination, the Courier says, is his scruples somewhat too far, but it was a fault Formesa, where most of them will be mounted at | that leaned to virtue's side.' Kelung and Tameni.

Japanese journalists are evidently bent on travelling. Mr. Seki, the editor of the Nichi tale of murder on a wholesale scale at Nanking. Nichi Shimbun is now in Europa. Mr. Samuro | It is as follows :- Recently, three pig dealers in Shimada, chief editor of the Mainichi Shimbun, the district of Lu-huh (near Nanking), who had is announced to leave Yokobama for the United several hundred dollars on their persons, were States in the P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer City of Rio de Janeiro, on the 14th instant, and Mr. Shimbun, will also shortly depart on a tour lord whether their would-be victims were stay. sketches recently published in Holland:—" Near world. (Applause).— For want of dock accom- for Tls. 16,800. Mr. Garrels, knowing that have made very little enquiry or examination world. (Applause).—For want of dock accom- for Tls. 16,800. Mr. Garrels, knowing that have made very little enquiry or examination world. (Applause).—For want of dock accom- for Tls. 16,800. Mr. Garrels, knowing that have made very little enquiry or examination world. through America and Europe.

slight attack of small-pox, and was being taken to be said to be s angul above of some states of some s for hours, and when Dr. Terrill's condition was the same night four of the same night four by chance discovered, he was so much worse that the same night four of the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had from small wells, is shortly to be brought to the choice and the chance of the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had from small wells, is shortly to be brought to the chance of the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had from small wells, is shortly to be brought to the chance of the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had be chanced as the chance of the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had be chanced as the chance of the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had be chanced as the chance of the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had be chanced as the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had be chanced as the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had be chanced as the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had be chanced as the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had be chanced as the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had be chanced as the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had be chanced as the robbers and the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had be chanced as the robbers and the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had be chanced as the robbers and the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had be chanced as the robbers and the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had be chanced as the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had be chanced as the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had been attempted as the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had been attempted as the robbers entered siderable losses, so that further attempts had been attempted as the

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In vain they called the beach. In its place you have a grand Prays, explanation as to the origin of the fire, which that they were pig-dealers, and four of their what it was all about. In vain they called the had taken part in some New Year's functions, as company had been murdered by the Chujen. daring fellow back. Appearing to be deaf, he shortly to be further extended into the sea, making was not corredorated by the loss of floating. Shortly a piece of floating. Shortly a piece of floating. Shortly a piece of floating. it neared the bank was struck by a piece of floating Shortly afterwards, the Chujon also arrived at tramped forward with the greatest coolness, room for the large and still increasing population the Man Yuen Tong to light the lamps. Then And it was upon such grounds as these that ice moving seaward on the current. 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About six years ago, says the Chinese Times, The Japan Gazette says that the steamer aridity and or cessive rain-fall would be neutralized. | a.m. on the 7th instant. |Captain Efford, Lloyds The expense was considerable, and the planting Surveyor, and Captain J. Martin, with some was well done. We now hear, owing to want of lighters obtained from the Yokohama Drayage all means of conservation, the plantations were Co., were superintending operations for floating loft to themselves, with the result that scarcely the vessel up till a late hour on the 6th. Four one tree remains. The whole plantations have large lighter leads of cargo were discharged been cut down by the people for timber and from the vessel, and at 9.30 on the 7th; and the end of them, is not encouraging.

Guardafui and Coylon In the Indian Ocean, injured. between 60 deg. and 70 deg. E. long. a. uniform depth of about 2,000 fathoms is almost depth of only 857 fathoms below the surface.

the report published by the Hocki Shimbun, the summer rains pouring their waters over the experiment of lacquoring a portion of the hull plains during next summer and autumn it is would be interesting to the shipping world no information on this subject. generally to know the results of the experiment. The inventor of the process is Mr. Hotta.

News says:—Count Mitkiewicz has been living the Imperial Maritime Customs at all the po ts community assembled in the music room of the in New York for some time endeavouring to to about Tis. 740,000 per annum. After six or City Hall to present a farewell address and testikeep his concession in shape. There were seven years, the amount of duty collected by the monial to the Hon. H. G. Thomset', R.N., on rumours that Wharton Barker, the concession- Customs was nearly Tls. 10,000,000 a year, so his retirement from the office of Harbour Master. naire, would go to China in the interest of the Sir Robert Hart requested the Tsung-li Yamen Amongst those present were the Hon. J. Russell, syndicate. It was said that the Hon. Russell to increase the amount allowed for the expenses Acting Chief Justice; Hon. E. L. O'Malley, At Young would accompany him on this errand. but I am told by one of Mr. Young's friends that he declined any relation to the proposed enterprise. Count Mitkiewicz, it is said, will endeavour to make interest with the Kussian 1.158.000 per annum. The amount of duty col-Government to ment ralise the effects of English | leoted last year by the Imporial Maritime Cusand German opposition to the American concessions. Mr. Barker is still undecided whether he ly, the number of tide-waiters was not quite shall go to China in May.

to be promoted to the rank of Lieut. General after and also Tis, 180,000 for the expenses of the two nearly forty-four years in the Army. The for the expenses of all the Customs cruisers. major nortion of his regimental career was the new regulations were to take effect on or passed in the Royal Lancaster Regiment, the about the 20th day of the 1st moon of the ourist battalion of which he commanded for about four years; but he likewise served in the Grenzdier Guards and in the "Black Watch." While in the Guards he saw service in the Crimea. and as commandant of the 1st battalion Lancaster Regiment he served in the Abyssinian campaign. Since 1876 he has been constantly employed on the Staff. He was for a year in temporary command of the Infantry brigade at Gibraltar subsequently commanded at Shorneliffe for a few months, and then, becoming a general officer obtained brigade command at Aldershot. Late and after a short interval got the China command, which he has held for close on threeyears, and he can look forward to holding it un

weeks' mourning have been ordered at the _The Postal authorities have long been Japanese product having the advantage in res-Mikado's Court in consequence of the death of aware that quantities of letters from Hongkong | pect of flexibility, whiteness, and lustre. Strange and the Straits were constantly being smuggled to say, however, Chinese braid rejected in into Bangkok, free of postage, by ship compradores and other Chiness employes of coasting lowing, the Jiji Shimpo says, to the proneness of steamers, thereby defrauding the Siamese Postal the Japanese to run after everything foreign Chinese visited that institution during the week department of large sums. Some time ago a Though a cheaper and better article of home notice in Siamese and English was issued, informing those connected with this smuggling | they prefer the brittle and costly import. Saturday last we happened to be at Post Office Tokyo contemporary. No. 2 and saw a Chinaman brought up in oustedy. with about two hundred letters found in his possession, which he had brought over from Hong. compatriots. We know it is very difficult to stop this kind of frand, but nevertheless trust our co-Count C. Zaluski, Austro-Hungarian Mi | ergetic Director General of Posts and Telegraphs | nister to Japan, who is absent on leave, is stated | will make an example of the culprit in the present case, and insist that according to the treaty he be properly punished, as this is the only way Mount Kirishima, a volcano in Kagoshima- among Chinese. To impose a small and nominal Mongkut some time ago, would be ridiculous.

nomized his resources to the utmost, living on results from this proposed plan. The Band of the Northamptonshire Regiment one med a day. His servant and clerk were paid this evening, from 7.30 till 10 o'clock. The due; and finding he could not go on paying them he had written a note the day before Seaman: his death terminating the engagement of his unfinished on Mr. Stead's desk. In this he detailed number of serious and painful symptoms We have received the programme of the Fire from which he had been suffering, and for which

incur obligations right and left with an airy nisregard of their ability to fulfil them, the spectacle of a man refraining from stocking medical aid from a scrupulous sense of honour, and actually going to his death when a visit from the doctor would cort inly have saved him, is a thing to be marked and remembered to the credit of the dead, and perhaps to the shame of

The Courier translates from the Shen-pao a

capture of the five robbers and murderers. cross for valour and loyalty."

very large number of trees was planted in Restitution, which went ashore on Saratoga Shantung in the hope that both excessive Spit on the 5th instant, got affect safely at 9.30 COMPLETE, WITH APPENDIX. PLANS, &c., &c., &c., fire-wood. The history of the excellent intentions, means of hor anchors and cables, which had been laid out the previous days, and her own steam power; required. The Restitution was apparently un-

> coast is approached. The greatest depth met of 5th March reveals, under the thinnest po sible ports both at home and abroad. The coat is to be with was 2,705 fathoms, off the coast of Africa, fact that the great breach in the Huang-ho coaling stations are to be supplied with artillery this maximum, the sea-bad rises anddenly to a cannot be closed before the summer floods. This for their protection during the course of this has indeed been protty plain for some time, as the hopeless efforts of the officials to collect year. millet stalks became public. What the con-If (says the Japan Gazette) we are to believe sequences will be of the melting snows and of the Fuse-kun, as a protection against marine impossible to imagine; for if the enow-fall on the growths, has turned out a complete success, so coast this past winter affords any indication of much so in fact that the Fuse-kan is now in what has been going on in the great water-sheds | zig, met Prince Bismarck, whom he embraced Yokosuks Dook for the purpose of having her the deluge will be unprecedented. The contrary, The Emperor repaired to Charlottenburg, when entire bull lacquered, or at least such partion as however, may be the case, and the mountain is usually under water. The lacquer was put on ranges in the North-west may have had less the year before last: If this report be true, it thin their share of snow. There is unfortunately

The Shen-pao states that during the lat year A New York correspondent of the N. C. Daily of the Emperor Tung chih, the Tsung li Yamen memorialized the throng to limit the expenses of of the Customs, as a larger staff was necessary torney-General; H n. A. Lister, Hon. J. M to carry on the work properly. The Tsung-li Yamen, after consulting with the Board of Revenue, decided to increase the amount to Tls. toms was over Tis. 15,000,000, and, consequent. sufficient for doing the work, and therefore additional men must be employed, so as to prevent The United Service Gazette says:-Major- dishonest merchants from smuggling. It is now friends present in this reom to achas their spokes General W. G. Cameron, C.B., commanding at decided to make a further increase of Tls Honokong and the Straits Settlements, is about 1250,000 per year for the expenses of the Customs. serving close on ten years in his present rank. | newly established Customs at Kowloon and He is just over sixty years old, and has been Kungpai. The 150,000 has also been granted

Curious, indeed (says the Japan Mail), is an reident of Japan's foreign trade as related by the Jili Shimpo. Everyone knows that of late years the manufacture of straw-braid has become an important industry in Japan. Commenced at Omori, near Tokyo, it has spread to Kawasaki. Karubo (in Saitama Prefecture), Atenta (in Aichi Prefecture). Wakayama, Osaka, and other localities. About one half of the braid produced is sent abroad, the remainder being used in Japan for hats and other articles. America was Japan's first customer, but Europe subsequently began to buy the benid. And large quantities are now sent to England and France. Altogether, the end of March. 1889, unless promoted before the export amounts to about a million bundles annually, and some thirteen merchants in Yoko. hains are engaged in the trade. It has been The Bangkok Times of the 7th inst. says: developed in direct competition with China, the America is now finding a market in Japan, manufacture is procurable at their very doors, trade of the penalties attached to same, but it demand for Chinese braid is actually increasing, hitherto seems to have had but little effect. On to the great and natural astonishment of our

York correspondent of the N.C. Daily News) in Missionary circles about the election of the is as gratifying to us to record, as it must be to you Rev. Dr. Stores to the Presidency of the American Board. The doctor is known to advocate a. progressive policy in missionary affairs. The acitation for this reform is directed by Chester services to the country are well known in China. to curtail the illegal custom of letter smuggling | Mr. Holcombe has recently made some powerfuladdresses on missionary work. He proposes, am told, to unite all the American missions i China under one Hoard, with headquarters ed into three districts, with headquarters at have not had time to get it in any practical shape, Commenting on the death of Mr. Stead, the Shanghai, Swatow, and Cauton. The Rev. Dr. but I have much pleasure, on behalf of those who Chinese Times makes the following very just re- Yates will be in charge at Shanghai, the Rev. have signed this address, in handing you a draft marks:-"It is satisfactory to learn from the Dr. Ashmore at Swatow, and the Rev. Dr. Uap- with which I hope you will get some small thing Coroner's inquest that Mr. Henry Stead did not per at Canton. These gentlemen will report di- to remind you of our esteem. (Applause). I am die in Hongkong of literal starvation, although rectly to Peking, where Mr. Holcombe will be reminded by my friend Captain Deane that you his end was accelerated by abstinence, and with stationed in charge of all the American interests are receiving this address on the eve of your deproper nourishment he might have lived for in China, with absolute power over the movements parture on the site of the old Harbour Office. In the Supreme Court at Shaughai on the years, according to the medical testimony. No of the different pasters and the disbursements of 12th instant Thomas Hore, late Usher of the one appears to be blamed for what happened nn- the contributions. Mr. Holcombe has recom- said-Mr. Chairman and gentlemen, I thank Court, was indicted for a criminal assault on the less it be the deceased himself, and from the mended the Board to purchase some available you very much indeed for the kind manner in have the gravest suspicions against another, and to put a man in prison on that suspicions. about nine years of age. The prisoner pleaded fallen the victim of a strict sense of honour. Mr. says, will be us ful auda good investment. Those wards me. I regret leaving the colony.

at a certain lodging house, their pursuers also recorded by Lieut. Schoemaker, an officer of lian colonies, and we have telegraphic communiput in their appearance and inquired of the land. the Dutch East Indian forces, in a series of cation to almost every place of importance in the land the plaintiff made a claim to Mr. Garrels consideration was that the defendants seemed to through America and Europe.

The plantage of the post of our foremost lines the model of the plantage of the p station in 1982, has fallen a victim in the States to eared same greatly frightened, begged to the most culpable carelessness. He had a the lendlord to care the part of the most culpable carelessness. He had a the lendlord to care the part of the most culpable carelessness. He had a the lendlord to care the part of the most culpable carelessness. He had a the lendlord to care the part of the most culpable carelessness. He had a the lendlord to care the part of the most culpable carelessness. He had a the lendlord to care the part of the most culpable carelessness. On the afternoon of the let instant, we learn committee, who were waiting outside for pean fusilier stole unnoticed over our en- (Applause). Your roads are increasing in numfrom our Tientsin contemporary, a ferry boat the spoils. The five remaining robbers at once trenchments and directed his steps towards the bers, and where you can now easily walk, we stock of the previous year was brought forward. Court and ask the jury to believe what they had bers, and where you can now easily walk, we stock of the previous year was brought forward. Court and ask the jury to believe what they had bers, and where you can now easily walk, we stock of the previous year was brought forward.

LATEST TELEGRAMS. FROM "RANGOON GAZETTE."]

LONDON, 1st March.

THE ARMY ESTIMATES. Army Estimates, amounting £16,000,000, were presented to the House to-day. Colonel Stanhope issued a memorandum in connection therewith, in which he dilates on The corvette Essex, of the United States

Navy, has been (save Nature of Jan. 26th)

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The corvette Essex, of the United States between 10 and 11 am. to render assistance if state of preparedness, for a sudden mobilization, ly in vain, (Applicate of Jan. 26th) the advantages attending the reorganization of THE CHRONICLE AND DIRECTORY Navy, has been (says Nature of Jan. 26th) necessary, but fortunately her services were not and he expressed a belief that the new magazine rifle is superior to any weapon in the hands of sum of three millions on the defences of our

| HAVAS TELEGRAMS. Paute, 12th March. THE NEW GERMAN EMPEROR.

The Emperor Friedrich, on arriving at Leip he will reside. His health has slightly improved.

PRESENTATION TO THE HON. H. G THOMSETT. R.N.

Yesterday afternoon a large number of the Price, Hon. W. M. Deane, Hon. P. Ryrie, Hon. J. Bell-Irving, Hon. A. P. MacEwen, Mr. T. Jackson, a large number of officials, and a large gathering of the moreantile community. The Misses Thomsett were also present. On the motion of the Hou. W. M. Doane. th Hon. A. P. MacEwen was voted to the chair. The- CHAIRMAN said-Captain Thomsett I have been asked by the Committee and by your

man on this occasion, to present you with an address and to ask'your acceptance of a small testimonial. I need hardly say, as an old friend have in a very marked degree shown duving l neut the number of years amongst us that you and correcting his former statement. have, cannot leave our shores without one pang of egret; but at the same time that regret may be softened by the knowledge that your departure, who hold you in (applaces)—and who wish you every happiness, id trust that you may enjoy many years o health and repose in the old-country friend

who hope to see you in the old country, and who will only be too glad to go out of their way to shake you by the hand in the old country. Applaitse). I may say there is no truer lest of riendship than that. I will now read the

HENRY G. THOMSETT. R.N., Harbour Master, Hongkong. Dear Sir. - On the eve of your final departure fro longkong, and your resignation of the duties in posed by the various positions which you have filled in this Colony, we would tender you, in a few words of farewell, our hope that you may long enjoy the rest to which your discharge of your lengthy resconsibilities so fully entitles you, and assure you that in your retirement from your official life you will be followed by our best wishes. For over thirty years you have been a resident administration of Colonial interests involving much importance and assiduous application, and to remember, how evenly those interests, and particular your especial Department, have moved during your supervision; After many years' service Her Gracious Majesty her Royal warrant created you a perman int member you well merited.

of our friendship, We are, Dear Sir, Yours vory faithfully. at Peking. China with Japan will be divid. I may add, as regards the testimonial, that we Captain Thomsett, who was much affected,

25th February on Chen Tang-chi, a girl of evidence adduced at the inquest he seems to have ground opposite the British Legation, which you have expressed your friendship to- and the best grounds for believing him They had never asked nor allowed guilty and was sentenced to five years penal Stead could not obtain employment in his pro- who know Mr. Holcombe's earnestness and abi- man can be thirty years in a place without of obtaining a conviction he would be deterred never had any opportunity of doing so till he fession; his means were nearly exhausted; he accoulty in anything he undertakes hope for great feeling keenly the separation. If you will from prosecuting for fear of tendering himself was put into the witness box in the present suit. The Japan Herald of the 8th March says :- very kindly feeling which has brought so many on the opinions expressed by other people. Now, ments of a new stock of drugs, and also was start-It is not often that we have to report a case of of my friends together to present me with this he took it that the defendants were perfectly ing a new business in toa. Another thing piracy in these waters so far as foreigners are too flattering address, and its accompanying justified in acting upon that opinion unless it which appeared to have increased their suspicions concerned, but it appears that such has recently substantial gift, which I shall dispose of in such | could be shown that there was some good reason | was that they thought plaintiff was going to taken place on board an American schooner be- manner as you desire. Nothing can be more why they should not have done so. The learned claim from the companies separately. They had longing to this port. The schooner Nereid sail- gratifying to a public officer than to know at the counsel then quoted at great length from the heard the evidence, and he thought that the fact ed from this about the 1st January, on a end of a long career that he has won the good- cases of Lester v. Perryman, Hicks v. Faulkner, that plaintiff made no concealment that he was voyage to Guam, &c., under the command of C. will and approbation of the community amongst &c., in support of his argument. Continu-Johnson. The schooner was delayed several whom he has worked. I am greatly pleased to ing, he said that the cases cited preved that a man books which were in the hands of Pustan & Co., days in the bay, first by runaways, and then by see in this room so many of my-colleagues in the ininstituting a prosecution was not bound to make entirely disposed of that point. Again they leak, but eventually got away, and having Government service, gentlemen with whom in the utmost investigation, but simply such an looked upon it as a very suspicious circumstance touched at the Bonin Islands, reached Guam t - the course of my public duties I have necessarily investigation as would satisfy a reasonable that after making his first claim he put in a wards the end of January. Here it appears that been brought much into contact, and who have man that he had sufficient grounds to act upon. further claim for tea. They had had a quantity the vessel filled up with water. &c., but when always readily aided me with advice, for which I Turning to the facts of the case. Mr. Ackroyd of evidence on the point as to whether plaintiff ready to sail for Yap, the captain being ashore gladly take this opportunity of thanking them. contended that the facts as adduced in evidence had any ten or not on his premises, and in supto clear the vessel, the mate, a man named J. The Government of the Colony is much benedetend the defendants in acting as they port of the evidence of the plaintiff himself they Forbes, ran away with her, after having driven fited, and the public are better served, when their did. While on this point, he might mention had the evidence of Mok Achun, Messrs. Meyer two of the crew overboard, taking with him all officers work together for the common good. (Ap. | that had defendants been actuated by any other and Co.'s compredore, and of Holliday, Wise and the captain's effects, the ship's papers, &c. The planse.) I see before me a community of all na- motive than that of a desire to see justice ad- Co.'s compradore, who produced documents showcaptain is on his way back to this port in an | tionalities second to none for perseverance, intelli- ministered they might have taken Lo Ngok to a ling that about the time of the fire a consign-American whaling barque, and the above parti- gence, aprightness, and energy, and the result | Magistrate, have caused him to make a deposition | ment of some forty picula of tea for the Man culars are contained in a report from the cap sin of these good qualities cannot be better exem- and then have asked the Magistrate on his own Yuen Tong arrived by the steamer Alwine. With to the U.S. Consul-General at this port, sent up plified than by a short review of what has been responsibility to issue a warrant for the arrest regard to the first interview with Mr. Garrels, by one of the two men driven overboard, but who effected during my time to raise Hongkong to of the plaintiff. He thought the fact that they the fact of Mr. Garrels being anxious to have swam ashore, and arrived up here in the schooner its present high position in the family of British refused to sheller themselves in this manner the amount claimed by the plaintiff written down Beatrice from Guam direct. The circumstances colonies. (Applanse). The day I arrived here, proved their bona fides. Passing on to the facts on a piece of paper in his presence 1-ft the imhave been reported to Commander Glass, U.S.S. in January, 1858, I saw the P. & O. steamer of the case, they were briefly these. After the pression that, in Mr. Gurrels's mind; there must Monocacy, the senior officer on the station, and Cadiz of 481 tons leave the harbour with the fire had taken place certain reports reached the have been some idea that some future claim was steps have been taken to detain the vessel and monthly mails for England. At the present ears of Mr. Garrels who, as in duty bound, caused going to be made. Mr. Garrels positively stated crow should they be met with anywhere. The day you have subsidized lines of large steamships enquiries to be made by his clerk; Mr. Ehmer. that the plaintiff said that that was the whole of mate, Forbes, who ran away with the schooner, of as many thousands as we then reckoned hun. Mr. Ehmer was told by the neighbours that in his claim, whereas plaintiff and his interpreter is reported as not having borne the best of that dreds of tons capacity under the American, their opinion the fire was a suspicious one. The both swore that what was said was "That is all

of the island. Your commercial progress is no vest which impressed their suspicious. Rumours tell? Then they came to the case of the books, stituting proceedings against the plaintiff had

that the tonnage arriving in the Colony is now that the fire was viewed with suspicion by many Mr. Garrels was not satisfied with the plaintiff's over 6,000,000 tons an analysis construction of the neighbours reached Mr. Renter through stock account because he had simply brought

I wish you all farewell and success.

another for "Mrs. Thomsett and the children."

SUPREME COUR'

19th March.

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION

II TAZ WAN D. GARRELS AND ANOTHER,

The hearing of this suit was resumed. The Attorney-General (Hon. E. L. O'Malley)

and Mr. Robinson, instructed by Mossrs. Caldwell and Wilkinson, appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. E. J. Ackroyd, instructed by Messrs. Wotton and Deacen, for the defendants. The Jury was composed as follows: -- Mesers. ton, T. E. Davies, A. Veitch, and A. F. Smith.

Mr. Wilkinson, having gone into witness-box, stated that when giving evidence on Saturday he was under the impression you are leaving behind you friends who that the amount of legal expenses was \$3,000. He found that he had overstated esteem for your official and private career the amount. It would be about \$2,500, At the time of making the former statement he had been under the impression that Mr. Francis had charged the same for attendance at the Police Court as at the Supreme Court. He found on looking into the matter

that he had only charged about half. Mr. Ackrovd, in addressing the jury on be alf of the defendants, said that as the jury had doubtless gathered from expressions which ba fallen from him during the course of the trial, their defence was that plaintiff had not shown that in the action taken by the defendants there had been any want of reasonable or probabl cause, nor had he shown that defendants had been actuated by malice, rancour, or ill-feeling, and th whole burden of proof rested upon them to show this. One of our most learned judges had | said that it was part of the liberty of th law which enabled any man to prefer a charge of offence or crime against another, and only when it was shown that he had been actuated by malice could be be made liable for his conduct Any man who seted bong fide and with good grounds for prosecution could lay a charge, and before he could be made liable it must be shown to the satisfaction of the jury that there were no such grounds to proceed upon. Before suc Holcombs, whose great talent, and abilities and of the Legislative Council of this Colony, an honour an action as the present could lie, as a learned judge had said, there must be sufficient proof to In kindly remembrance we bid you adicu, and, satisfy a reasonable man that the accuser had begging your acceptance of the accompaying token I no other grounds to proceed upon than a desire

to injure the accused. derable time in the quoting of cases if he mencase by Mr. Justice Cave.

that the accuser was actuated by malice. This leases that might be an element of suspicion, but although it might appear strange had been ad- it was perfectly ridiculous to say that that fact mitted to be necessary because a person might alone was sufficient to constitute suspicion No guilty, yet where he was not quite certain plaintiff any explanation of that, and he had fallow me I will read my roply :- Gentle- subject to an action for damages. A great deal As they had then heard, he was receiving at the men, I thank you most sincerely for the had been said about the defendants having acted time he increased his insurance large consign-

it was 16 years ago, and the left is the freedom of the port is not interior in the port is not interior with, that progress April, Mok Akun informed Mr. Reuter that He said he thought that suspicious. But if it must continue, The said interior of the plaintiff to he had obtained some important information of the plaintiff to after a lengthened period of service, I do so with | tion concerning the fire, and that if he | defraud the companies, would it not have been much regret, but family ties call me home, and and, Mr. Garrels attended at the office of leasy for him to have made out a full statement I also feel that it is time I made room for a Messrs. Wetten and Deacon the following mern- of imaginary details? And, in any case, was it younger man. Through my long career here I ing they would there meet the man who could fair not to give the man any opportunity of have endeavoured to perform my duties imparti- give them this information. Accordingly they making an explanation? When the plaintiff was ally, and without fear or favour, neither leaning | went to Mr. Deacon's office, and as what occur- put in the box during the hearing of the present to the right nor to the left of a straightforward red there must be still fresh in the minds of the suit he gave a perfectly satisfactory explanation. line of conduct, and your presence here to-day jury it would not be necessary to onter into de. The Attorney-General than touched upon the I hope he will kindly forget the past. Your agree with him that defendants had the very probable. The fact that directly after he arrived heautiful hills, valleys, and bays will never be strongest grounds for their suspicions. He from Canton he should see Pustau's compradore, other nations. He proposes to expend a further effaced from my memory. I have received much would also call the attention of the jury that who mentioned to him his suspicious about the kindness and forbearance at your hands, and I defendants did nothing before consulting Mr. fire and asked him to be on the alert if he should thank you heartily for it. I must now say Descon, who strongly advised them to prosecute, hear anything, and then the following day, "just "good bye," with a hope that Hongkong and that two or three days later Mr. Brereton by chance," as Wong Chuk Lum affirmed, will flourish and continue to make the was retained, and that he also was of the Lo Awong calling with Lo Ngok, was too imrapid strides it has hitherto done; and that same opinion. He submitted that through probable to be credited for a moment. He subthe community will over enjoy good health, out the whole case the defendants had acted mitted that the whole case as regards Lo Ngok prosperity, and happiness. (Lond applance.) with the greatest good faith, and there was was a conspiracy. The defendants knew nothing Gentlemen, I again thank you for your kindly not a single fact to show that they ever offered of Wong Chuk Lum, yet they made no enquiries good feeling towards me as evidenced by this any reward or attempted to procure evidence in as to his character or any stepy to test the croaddress and the very handsome testimonial you any improper manner. The fact that they had dibility of his story. A more complete illustrahave presented to me, You may be sure I will consulted counsel before laying the case before | tion of went of reasonable and probable cause buy comething that I will be able to hand down the Magistrate must weigh heavily in the de- could not be imagined. With regard to this the to my children and their children after them. fendants favour. If the defendants had acted defendants had said that Mr. Doucon was satisfied only upon the advice of their solicitor it could fied as to the credibility of Wong Chuk Lum's On the call of the Chairman three ringing not be said, he apprehended, that they were story. They said they were simply acting on cheers were given for Captain Thomsett and liable for this section. [In support of this con- Mr. Deacon's advice when they instituted a protention the learned counsel cited the case of secution on the strength of Wong Chuk Lum's Snow v. Allon . Finally he submitted that de- statement. Let the jury for one moment place fendants had abundant grounds for instituting themselves in plaintiff's position and consider the prosecution; that they had acted on the ad- whether it would be any compensation to them vice of counsel in so doing; and that they were to be told that after being thrown into prison actuated by no other motives than a desire for without any just cause, they had no redress as

plaintiff, said that there was some opinion ex- What would become of their freedom and repressed on Saturday last, by the jury, respecting putation if they could be taken away by any the addresses of counsel, and he felt it necessary to two gentlemen who might wish to do so, their BEFORE HON. J. RUSSELL, ACTING CHIEF insist upon the right of counsel to address the excuss being that they had consulted Mr. Deainry on the facts and on such points of law as con. They had heard of the Bolga of Torror might be experient or necessary to lay before and of lettres de crehet, but all this would be as them. He wished to say that he did not do this nothing compared with Mr. Deacon. If they because he imagined the jury had not been able were going to accept this argument all any one fo grasp the facts, but simply because he felt it | would have to do if they wished to imprison a man was a duty he owed to his client. He thought would be to pay their fee and consult Mr. Deacon. the most convenient course for him to pursue He submitted that there had been an absolutewant would be to address himself to the facts first. of reasonable and probable cause for the action With reference to law, although the issue was a taken by the defendants, and their having failed most important one and the question an exceed- to make careful and diligent enquiry as to the ingly difficult one, he was quite willing to leave grounds for their suspicions before instituting that in the hands of his Lordship, who would the prosocution was amply sufficient to sub-E. A. Solomon, R. M. Gray, E. H. M. Hunting direct thom, and it would not therefore be neces stantiate the charge of malice according to the sary to follow his friend through the long course legal meaning of the word. The plaintiff The Attorney-General said before proceeding he had taken. They saw what an immense array had suffered a substantial loss by the fire, he wished to mention that he had received a let. of law books there were upon the table, and he had been imprisoned, he had been put to and neighbour, that it affords me the greatest (or from Mr. Wilkinson, solicitor for the plain- although his friend had exhausted about one half expenses for his defence, and he had suffered pleasure to say to you who have spent so many tiff, with regard to the evidence which he (Mr. it was not his intention to do the same with the in business and reputation, and he contended years in this colony, that you recognish the in- Wilkinson) gave on Saturday last with reference other half. The first question was-Had the de- therefore that he was entitled to substantial dividual characteristics of the community better to the amount of legal expenses incurred. He fendants reasonable and probable cause for their damages. If insurance companies chose to take than any one else; and I am sure everybody will had stated in the witness box that the expenses action at the time they took it? He complained such steps as these had done they must take agree with mo in knying that enruestness, zeal amounted roughly speaking, to about \$3,000. On of this action in three important respects. He the consequence. A wrong had been comfor the welfate of the solony, straightforward- going into the matter carefully since he had found complained that they had arrested and sent mitted, and he asked the jury to do all in ness—these are the characteristics which you that \$2,500 would be about the correct amount | plaintiff to prison on a certain day; he com- their power to compensate his client. His Lordship said he thought Mr. Wilkinson's plained that they brought him before a magisthe many years of your residence amongst us. action a very proper one, and he would therefore trate and there represented that they have (Applause.) And I am sure that one who has give him an opportunity of going into the box such a serious charge against him that he could not be admitted to bail, and as a consequence he was sent back to gaol to awa t is trial. There were other acts alleged in the petition which might by regarded as an aggravation of these three, but these were substartially what they founded their claim apon His frien I reminded him, while reading through his cases, of his own experience in the reading of Wordsworth's poems. He read an immense quantity of very excellent but not very interestng matter, but now and then almost unexpectedly he came upon some real gems which would be worth reading to them over again. In the case of Lister v. Perryman, the Bord Chancellor said that in order to justify defendant in an action that kind there must be reasona le cause such

us would satisfy the mind of a discreet man there must be probable cause such would satisfy the mind of a reasonable man. With regard to the point of consulting counsel or a solicitor, it might be that this would rebut the inference of malice, but it had nothing to do with the question of reasonable and probable cause. In the conduct of this case it had been necessary to proceed in an unusual, though perhaps somewhat objectionable manner, that of first calling as his witnesses the solicitor for the defendants and the defendants themselves. He did this because he knew that to obtain a clear statement of the case he could not go to a better source than Mr. Deacon. He went to that source, and he was bound to admit that he had received a free and frank statement from Mr. Deacon. Mosars. Garrels [and Henter, the two defendants in this case, were then called. He need not remind them that from the very earliest period it had been the custom of man in all cases to try and throw the blame ou somebody else, but here it was impossible, to do that as both were clearly equally responsible not signed, nor was it a deposition, but purported and Mr. Descon, although not a defendant. His Lordship said it might perhaps cave consi- stood upon the same footing. When in the witness box both Messrs. Garrels and Reuter tioned that he intended to put the case to the jury | had admitted that they had suspicions. It apon almost the identical lines of that in a late peared to him that suspicions had entered their minds from the very first. When questioned as to Mr. Ackroyd, continuing, said that in a case | what gave rise to these suspicions Mr. Garrels where a man might be arrested, taken before a said first, the circumstance that the plaintiff had Plaintiff went to Mr. Garrele's office, and Mr. magistrate, and suffer grievous wrong no action increased his insurance from \$20,000 to \$40,000 Garrels not being so canning of fence as Mr. for damages would lie unless it could be proved just before the fire. He admitted that in many

making up his claim on Meyer's from the same ractors here, and to have also made the acquain. Austro-Hungarian, British, French, German, man at the Han Fong shop said he had gone to for ginseng and drugs." In such a case he the interior of the II Community of the II Comm tance of the interior of the U.S. Consulate Gael. and Italian lags, connecting us with Europe the Man Yuen Tong to warm them that the shop thought that it was only fair that the benefit of and America. Other steamship lines connect was on fire, but the people there denied it. The the doubt should be given to the actual speaker The following incident in the Acheen war is us with India, China, Japan, and the Austra-

their accusers had acted in a perfectly bona The Attorney-General, in summing up for the fide manner, having consulted Mr. Descon. His Lordship, in addressing the jury, said

there were three questions for them to consider -1, did the defendants, before instituting proceedings against the plaintiff, take reasonable care to satisfy themselves as to the actual state of the case ? 2. Did they honestly believe the case as laid, before the Magistrate? 3, Were they actuated by malica? In the event of their answering the former two in the affirmative they would not of course have to consider the third question, but if they answered either of the first two in the negative it walld be then recussive for their to consider the third question. This case was almost similar to one decided by Mr. Justice Cave, and be did not think it would be necessary to trouble them further than by calling their attention to the facts of the case. Plaintiff commenced business in the Man Yuon Tong in 1881, and bad been insured ever since in Mesers. Meyer & Co.'s and Messrs. Pustan & Co. s. These two policies, for \$10,000 each, had expired early in the year, and on the 19th March he again insured, this time for \$40,000. On the 24th March the fire occurred. There was no doubt that it was a reasonable thing to suppose that the fire taking place so soon afterwards that anspicion at all events might be aroused. Mr. Reuter at once sent for the books of the Man Yuen Tong. These were produced and given into the charge of Pustan's compradors. Mr. Ehmer was then seut to make enquiries. There was a lot of ittle-tattle and gossip going about, and when it became known that the Insurance Companies had suspicious there were, of course, plenty of people to come forward and foster those suspicious. Pustan's compradore learned that Wong Chuk Lum had some information and acquainted his master of the fact. They then had this paper which was to be a statement of Lo Ngok's that money was

given him by the plaintiff to purchase kerosine,

and that he set the shop on fire on consideration of receiving Tls. 100. Anybody would have thought that any one who had any interest in this matter would have made enquiries at once as to the truth of this. But nothing was done. Mr. Renter detained him with ten and cigars while Mr. Deacon was getting out a warrant for his arrest. Messrs. Caldwell and Wilkinson's clerk, who gave his evidence in a most satisfactory manner, stated that \$22,000 was offered ten minutes before the man was arrested. Now. the question was-Was that a born fide offer? It had been said t at the offer was simply made for the purpose of detaining the man in the office, but if plaintiff had been willing to accept that offer, would the warrant ever have been put into execution ? The man was arrested and brought before the magistrate and remanded for the purpose of g tting Lo Ngok as a witness. Mr. Deacon, as agent for the defendant, in the meantime opposing bail, Mr. Brereton was th n brought into the case, but what happened afterwards was of little moment with regard to the present suit. The important matter was the initiatory proceedings. The first thing which had struck his Lordship, and which had no doubt struck the jury also, was that if this man had really been guilty of arson, he should have made his claim in the way he did. This might have been regarded as evidence of an attempt to take advantage of the fire but if a felony were committed it seemed to him the presumption was that the man would have had his claim made up in full and presented it at once. Then with regard to the claim for tea, why this was a ground for thinking the man guilty of arson he could hardly undeistand. If it was thought that plaintiff had not that amount of tea on the premises it might be a ground for resisting his claim, but certainly not ground for a charge of arson. With reference to this tea there was the evidence of Mr. Garrels's compradoro as to there being some tos on the premises, and they had also the evidence of Messrs. Holliday, Wiss and Co.'s compradors that certain consignments of tea were shipped to the plaintiff and should have arrived here on

must believe there was ten in the premises at the for the jury to find that the defendants were for the defendants; but would reserve the question of costs. POLICE COURT

· 19th March. BEFORE Mr. A. G. Wise,

DANGERONS GENTRY Eight Chinese men and a married woman, desoribed as of various occupations, were brought up | 1884, 1885, 1886. charged with being dangerous to the peace and To Amount transferred from Reserve Fund good order of the colony, and further with being suspected to be pirates or confederate of pirates

known as Lung To Tsai. Acting Sergeant Æneas Mann said that by Hy Balance 30th June, 1887. virtue of a warrant, which he produced, he with By Claims and Losses Paid Account 1884/5/6 an Inspector and others went at 5.15 p.m. to the top floor of No. 26, Centre street, and arrested the prisoners. Upon searching the room they found one tray, one box of pearls, thirtythree bad dollars, two silver ornaments, twentythree pawn-tickets, two jade stone bangles, two pieces of silver, one silver chain, one silver watch | Dec. 31, 1887. pocket, one box containing \$8.10, two gold dollars, I five jude-stone buttons, two revolvers, twenty-nine rounds amunition; twenty-four inde-stone ornaments, one ox jewellery, spectacles and case, and To Interest: 24,636.65 a-leather bag. He had received information of To Transfer Fees

Remanded for a week. DEMANDING MONEY WITH MENACES. Four Chinese described as coolies were charged Dec. 31. 1886. by a widow; named Tsing Kwai, with demanding By Head Office Charges \$50 from her with menaces, on the 18th instant, By London Office Charges

a large robbery, and asked for a remand.

demanded \$50. and said that if she did not By Interest to 31st December, 1887 give it, they would gob her. They further By Furniture Account-Written off said that she had assaulted her apprentice By Balance and the money was for him. She refused to yield to their demand and eried out "Robbery." Upon this the men went away but the prisoners were stopped by the neigh-"Singapore, 5th March, 1838. bours, who were brought by her cries. She reported the matter to the Police and the prisoners were arrested. She had never seen them

Witnesses were called who gave corroborative The first prisoner said that his brother was assaulted by the complainant and her people, and they went there to get some medicine from her. Her witnesses asked them to sit down and have tea, and then the Police came and arrested.

. The other prisoners said the same as the first. Soutenced to one month's hard labour each. Mak Asing, seaman, was charged with the larcony of Tis. 78 in silver, being the property

on the 26th February last. .The complainant being absent, the Police asked for a remand, which was granted for a week.

BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE.

of In Yuk Mui, mistress of cargo boat No. 358

UNLAWFULLY BOARDING A STEAMER. with boarding the steamer Uppingham without aggregate, after a reduction of one per cent., to the permission of the master, and whilst the \$16,674.72. steamer was under weigh.

\$5, or ten days' hard labour. U. Akam, master of a passage boat, admitted a tions, amounts to \$16,843.16. But as the sun charge of being in possession of about seven voted for Grants-in-Aid for 1888 (viz., \$17,000 taels of prepared opino without a certificate. has already been drawn upon to the amount of

ALLEGED EXTENSIVE LARCENY OF IRON. Yan Yam Ting, godown keeper in the employ of Messrs. Carlowitz and Co., was brought up, on remand, and charged with stealing 1,650 piouls of old-iron value \$3,298, the property of his employers, between the first June, 1886, an 10th March, 1888.

The case was further remended till Wednesder the 21st instant, at 10.30 a.m., bail being allowed in money deposit of \$1,000.

MACAO. [FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT]

19th March. the Government regarding the minutes of the Chamber meeting in which a quasi-censure was recorded upon His Excellency the Governor's singling on Tone of the teachers of the Central School to the so-construed depreciation of the in the year 1887, to a reduction of one per cent. others, has been decided by the Executive Countas shown in the enclosed tables, whereby the cil, which has ordered the Senate to entirely with- amount to be paid by way of Grants-in-Aid is draw the objectionable expression. This the reduced from \$16,843.16 to \$16,674.72, and the Senate must do, but they are at liberty to appeal to the Lisbon Government against that decision. hand. and it is said that they are going to do so. Sr. Pacheco, the President of the Senado, being a stannels man in his opinions. I dare say be will 1887 is considerably in excess of the sum earned not fail to forward the matter home.

With reference to the pirates, several other arrests have since been effected, and together to \$16.852.16, which is an increase of \$2,527.40. with the enterprising goutry another box containing valuate jewellery has also been cap. The number of Schools under the Grant-in-Aid tured. It is said that the King, whose Prince is in our hands, finding that there is no hope of his dividually examined in these Schools increased remaining numelested on our soil, has sought a from 2,058 in 1886 to 2,314 in 1887. That the better clime in Hongkong. It is to be hoped examinations were about as strict as usual will that Captain Superintendent Deane, whose energy is well known, will do him the honour of sending lynx-eyed Quincey to invite His Fili- 86.55 per cent. passed, whilst in 1887, out of bustering Majesty to enjoy Major General 2,314 scholars examined, 2,033 passed, or 87.85 Gordon's hospitality.

thorities here to thank them for the capture of the pirates, and will apply for the latter's rendi- of Schools and scholars placed under the tion to the Chinese authorities.

Grant-in-Aid scheme. There is, however, one ex-

for the last few days.

been seized.—En. D.P.]

THE STRAITS INSURANCE COM-

PANY, LIMITED. The following is the report presented to the shareholders at the tenth ordinary general meeting, held in the Company's office, Singapore, on

TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE STRAITS INSUB-ANUE COMPANY, LIMITED. you the annoxed statement of accounts to the 31st Desember, 1887.

Saturday last, the 17th instant :---

No nett premia carned after deducting re-inances and returns amounts to \$196,146.66. The interest accrued to \$24,636.65.

The working account shews a balance at credit of \$107,170, out of which it is proposed to pay an interim bonus of 5 per cent. to contributors, absorbing \$15,000 and to place \$10,000 to reserve, carrying forward a balance of \$82,170. Your directors feel confident that the final result of the year 1887 will compare favourably with former years, as precautionary the unarrived sailing, and unexpired block risks. finally closed, and your directors regret that the re-"sult necessitates a reduction in the reserve fund of 312 ,000 leaving this account standing at \$85,000, in-duding the amount transferred from 1887.

from the Board, the two former gentlemen having with detailed accounts herewith enclosed, and I has also joined the Board. and Mr. Wee Boon Tek retire from the Board, but

offer themselves for re-election. In accordance with article 146 Messre. James Lyall | torily. and Alex. Gentle retire, but offer themselves for re-

TH. SOHST, (Chairman), Directors. BALANCE SHEET, SIST DECEMBER, 1887.

To paid up the Capital on 30,000 shares at . To Interest to 31st December, 1887...... 30,000.00 To Balance at Debit of Working Account

By Investment on Mortgage in Singapore... 431,500.00 By Investment in London in Console. By Cash in hands of London Agency By Cash in hands of Melbourne Agents..... By Cash in hands of Branches and Agencies 30,399.13-By Romittances in transits 20,112.40 By Sundry Debtors comber. 1887 By Sundry Debtors unpaid premiums. By Furniture at Head Office and Branches 1,917.08

WORKING ACCOUNT.

\$125,000:00 \$125,000,00

WORKING ACCOUNT. comber. 1887. (less Returns and Re-inвитапсов).

To Exchange

By Branch and Agency Charges By Losson and Claims

> \$314,403.41 CRAWFORD D. KERR.

THE RESULTS OF THE EXAMINA - TION OF THE GRANT-IN-AID SCHOOLS.

The following letter, with enclosure, from the Inspector of Schools, reporting the result of the examination of the grant-in-aid schools, is pub. Macbeth's castle. lished for general information in Saturday's Gazette :--

Education Department.

Hongkong, 31st January, 1883. enclosure the usual tabulated summary of the amounts carned, during the year 1887, by the various grant-in-aid schools of the colony under the regulations of the Grant-in-Aid Code (1883) and I beg to recommend that a warrant be issued for the payment of the grants payable, as herehi At oi, boarding house runner, was charged under recommended, and amounting in the

2.—It will be seen from the enclosed tables I that the sum total, nominally earned by Schools under the conditions of the Grant-in-Aid Code and on the basis of the usual examina and was fined \$25, or, in default, fourteen days \$254.50, leaving only \$16,745.50 available, the amount nominally required for Grants-in-Aid exceeds the balance in hand by \$97.66.

3.—In Despatch No. 211, of 30th September 1882, the Scorotary of State laid down the rule that the sum of money voted each year for Grants-in-Aid ought not under any circumstances These are called you huyet. Singularly enough, be exceeded," and in Regulation No. 6 of the Grant-in-Aid Code (1883) it is provided that with a malady which resembles consumption, and "the Government will not bind itself to give which is attended by copious hemorrhage. Nests grants to all Schools claiming them under the of this kind are in great demand. They are rare foregoing conditions, but will be guided by the and are gathered only in the spring. Local circumstances of each case and by the amount of tradition says that these birds died of exhaustion, money at its disposal for educational purposes. or of the consumption in its advanced stages, be-Moreover, a similar case occurred in 1883, when forethe end of the second winter. Scientists being Bengal Infantry. Headquarters wing, and 32 the amount nominally earned by the Grant-in-Aid Schools exceeded the sum then available by ists not having yet had sufficient time for observa. ligori by the 15th March if the Thibetons have The dispute between the Sonate Chamber and \$1,793.07, whereupon all the grants were subof the amount then available for the purpose.

> 4.—I propose therefore to subject the amounts nominally earned by the Grantin-Aid Schools expenditure brought within the limits of the Estimates, leaving a small balance (\$70.78) in

5. The above mentioned amount nominally earned by the Grant-in-Aid Schools in the year by this class of Schools in the preceding year. In 1886, the sum total required for Grants-in Aid amounted to \$14,324.76, and now, in 1887. This increase is to be accounted for as follows. Code increased from 56 Schools in 1886, to 61 Schools in 1887. The number of scholars inbe seen from the fact that there is but a trifling increase in the percentage of scholars passed, for in 1886 out of 2,068 scholars examined, 1,790 or per cent. The increase in the expenditure now

Some Mandarins have called upon the au required for Grants-in-Aid is therefore principally to be accounted for by the natural increase which took place in 1887 in the number The weather has been nasty, with heavy for traordinary factor in the educational movement of 1837 which contributed to By a reference to our Police Report it will be for these educational grants, viz., the introductional diseases of the lungs, asthma, disordered disthat eight men and a woman have been | tion in the colony of the Cambridge Local Examierrested on a charge of being pirates or con- nations which, by the stimulus they give to the federates thereof, and a quantity of articles, study of higher branches of an English educasupposed to have been piratically come by, have tion, caused a sudden increase in the number of schools competing for grants allowed by the local Grant-in-Aid Code for the so-called special subjects. For many years past there was only as an article of dist, they have made little-in one Grant-in-Aid school (the Diccesan Home and Orphanage) which annually took up the

special subjects of Algebra, Euclid, and Physical Geography Thus, for instance, in 1886, out of 2,068 scholars examined in the ordinary sub- forming an immense ladder by whose rounds the nects of the Code, only 13 scholars were presented for examination in those 3 special subjects. But in 1887, as many as 6 schools took up the special subjects of the Code, such as Algebra, Euclid, Physical Geography, Astronomy (Find-Gentleman,—Your directors beg to place before later's Science Primer). and even book-keeping the precious nest and scorete it about his per-Service Examination Papers), and as many as mully costs several lives. The monopoly is at Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited—this moment in danger of passing into other hands.

587. per share. 1887, involving an expenditure, for grants for A rich Chinese company of Hongkong, which is special subjects only, amounting to \$611, as com- building a handsome European hotel at Tourane.

tabulated accounts be audited as usual by the gathering the nests. The monopolists are greatmeasures have been taken with a view of protecting | Audit Office, and that, if the accounts are | ly excited at the prospect of losing it, and in sunfound correct, the proposed reduction of 1 per port of their claim are offering in evidence the 1884-5-6. These three years' accounts have now been cent. be approved and; in that case, a warrant is. very document given to their ancestors by the sued for the sum of \$16,674.72 to be paid, as usual, Emperor Gia Long. Money is needed at the by the Treasury on personal application to be court of Hue, and the ancient manuscript will be made by the respective Munugers, Teachers, and critically scrutinized by Annamese officials to dis-Assistant-teachers of Grant-in-Aid Schools. During the six months that have clapsed, Mesers. shall then supply the Trensury with the usual ther there is not a chance to make a good round China Fire Insurance Company's Shares—\$73 Glass, Intjens, and Khoo Teong Poh, have retired list of names and amounts due, corresponding sum by the transfer. left for Enrope; Mr. Schet was subsequently appoint. with detailed accounts nerowith enclosed, and i and the Honographe C. W. Conington shall also forward to each Manager, Teacher, and ing haunts free from invasion, come back punc-Assistant teacher concerned, the usual forms of tually with every recurring season, regardless of Straits Fire Insurance Company, Limited-In accordance with provisions of clause TOI of the receipt stating the amount due to each, which Company's articles of association, Mr. T. S. Thomson forms must be handed in at the Treasury on claim- Other swallows in other countries can return ing payment. This form of procedure, first peacefully to their last year's nests in the ensuing

> 7.-The evolused Tables exhibit in detail the mode in which each of the Grant-in-Aid Schools has carned its grant in 1887 and the amount payable to each Manager and Teacher under the proposed reduction of 1 per cent. Further particulars and general observations with regard to the working of the Grant-in Aid Schools in 1887. I reserve for the usual Annual Report on Education.-- l have the honour to be, Sir, your most chedient and humble servant,

> > Becretary, &c., &c., &c.

E. J. Eitel, Ph. D., Inspector of Bohools.

THE BONDED WAREHOUSE QUES-TION IN SHANGHAL. The following despatch has been sent to t

Shaughal papers for publication :-

Shanghai, 14th March, 1888. Gentlemen.-With reference to the Memorial from the Morcantile Community of Prince and Princess Heury of Bourbon, Shanghai on the subject of Fouded Ware, travelling with Austrian passports, arrived in houses, I have now received a Despatch from Bangkok by the steamer Medusa on the 3rd inst. His Excellency Mr. von Brandt, Doyen of the and are stopping, as Government guests, at the Diplomatic Corps at Poking, in which he re-old Foreign Office. On the 4th inst. they were quests me to inform the signers that " while ful- received in audience by His Majesty the King. y aware of the importance of the question | -Bangkok Times. brought before us to the persons and firms interested in the existing wharves, my Colleagues and myself do not find ourselves in a position to

give another answer to the signers of the Memorial than the one returned by us to the letter from the Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce 88,231.83 on the sumu subject. I shall be glad if you will have the goodness o communicate this information to the other gentlemen and firms who signed the Memorial. I am, Gentlemen.

> Yonr obodient servant, (Signed) P. J. HUGHES. Senior Consul, H.B.M. Consul-General Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., and the other gentlemen and firms who signed the Memorial, Shanghai.

THE BIRDS' NEST INDUSTRY.

Travellers going from Hongkong to Bangko r Singapore by steamer pass along the coast of Annam and near a group of islands that are at once picturesque and curious. Behind them is Tourane, an ancient French Settlement, the stopping place of steamers bound for Hue and 2,400,00 | Haiphong, and destined to be an important com- M. Nelideff, but will probably temporize, while mercial port in a not very distant future. Several of these islands produce an important rticle of commerce, that is, the edible birds nests, which have caused considerable learned discussion among scientists. They are as dear to the Chinese palate as to the Chinese purse. It is a singular fact that Annam s the only country that produces them.* Why the swallows select this locality as a habita. Bulgaria. tion, and no other, when there are islands anparently as eligible scattered all along the isiatic coast from Sumatra to Kores. mystery that the scientists who have given the subject so much attention have never attempted to slucidate. Had Banquo lived in these times he might have given an explanation as poetic and reasonable as that which he gave to Duncau for the preference manifested by the Scotch martins for the pure and delicate air that bathed

The swallows' nests are a source of riches to the region. Their value is said to have been discovered some hundreds of years ago during the reign of Gia Long, who promised a liberal reward to any one who would discover a new Sir,-I have the honour to forward under this and profitable article of export within his realm. The nests discovered on the island Nam Ngai were presented to the sovereign, Resident at Mysore, has finally decided not to who faithful to his promise, offered a patent of nobility to the finder. This was respectfully office of Secretary to the India Office for declined, and instead a monopoly of the harvest | Revenue, Statistics, and Commerce, in succession was accepted by the discoverer for himself and his descendants. This privileged family was to pay yearly eighty pounds of the nests to the Emperor as royalty. On the other hand they were to be exempt from personal taxes, from military service, and from contributions of personal labour, such as are common in Oriental countries. They forme la family league of forty lions for the construction, extension, and

founded a village convenient for their commerce,

which still exists under the name of Yen Xa-" Village of the Swallows' Nests." The nests are the product of a salivary secretion of the birds. As to their mercantile value they are divided into three distinct categories. The most valuable are those into which there enters a certain proportion of blood. by this statement to thank the Members of the they can only be produced by the birds affected scarce among the Annamese and the French colonto bring the payment to be made within the limits | the salivary secretion that causes the malady | The Rajah of Sikkim has been told that he can two of existence. The smallness of the quantity in honour of the Viceroy is being arranged for. three or four pounds-would seem to indicate termination of the Simla season. that the disease is only partial and peculiar to

those possessed of the weakest lungs. All the other nests (yan soo) are classed as second quality. Nothing but the salive of the birds enters into their construction. They rived at Bombay. The former, which has been are gathered in the spring, summer, and autumn. The spring harvest is the most valuable be- Zanzibar, will go into dry dock for overhauling. cause it includes the two qualities. Two nests The Reindeer has come here to pay off and reof the first quality weigh one ounce and are worth at the place of production five Mexican dollars at current value in Annam. Those of the second quality are worth little more than | the Rajah of Ulwar on a tiger shooting expedihalf as much. The summer gathering is entire- tion from March 21. y of nests of the second quality. They are smaller and less compact. It requires four of these to make an ounce, which is worth two Rifles, won the Viceroy's prize, his scores being Mexican dollars. The autumn harvest is still 96 first stage, 200, 500, 600 yards, and 80 second ess valuable. The nests are scarce and not stage, 800 and 900 yards. highly estaemed. It requires seven to make an A Lieutenant of the French Novy has been ounce, which is not worth more than \$1.20 to appointed to the Hooghly Survey department. \$1.40. Experts express the opinion that this third gathering should be dispensed with, since

it is worth so little and there is danger of destroving the eggs. Nearly all the nests are sold to the Chinese living in the cities of Annam and Tonquin or sent to Chinese ports. Only the Chinese and some high mandaring of the Court of Hue who prefer the Chinese cuisine can afford the luxury. They are esten by the Chinese cooked with flesh or with sugar, having first been cleaned of all extraneous substances by a liberal application of hot water. When cooked with fowl or game, fruit of the water-lily is added. Chinese physisudden increase in the expenditure required cians prescribe them as a sovereign remedy for gestion and most other maladies. If they have curative qualities of the kind mentioned they probably share them with other alimentary substances containing more or less gelatine. good qualities of the nests are estimated no doubt in proportion to the price. It is certain that,

pression on Western nations. The harvest is made in a manner simple and picturesque. Sections of bamboo are thrust into the holes in the side all the way up the precipico. coolies ascend, detaching with a knife as they go the nests glaed to the walls. One of the family which monopolises the industry watches meanwhile anxiously below to see that the labourer does not in gathering detatch some portion of pared with \$44 required for special subjects in and which has branch houses in the principal cities of Annam and Tonquin, is offering the Hue Go-6.-I now beg to recommend that the enclosed | verament a handsome bonus for the privilege of cover if it is indeed a grant in perpetuity or whe-

In the meantime the swallows, instead of seektheir health and this increasing spoliation. adopted in 1884, has hitherto worked satisfac- spring. These swallows of Annam must keep on pandering to an aristocratic desire, building and rebuilding their homes and giving their life's blood forever to satisfy a diseased appetite. ∸Shanghai Courier. * This is not quite correct.—ED. D. P.

In the tartar of teeth from skeletons of the stone age, Mr. Charters White, of the Odontological Society of Great Britain, has found specimens of the food eaten by our prehistoric Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares—\$195 per sur Bruxelles, Paris on Londres Les abonneancestors 3,000 years or more ago. The fragments identified include portions of corn husks, spiral China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$154 vessels from vegetables, starch husks, fruit cells, The Honourable F. Stewart, LL.D., Colonial the point of a fish's tooth, and bits of wool, feathers and cartilage.

BANGKOK.

Sir Andrew Clarke left Bangkok on the 28th ult. for a cruise along the coast, in order to personally survey the probable route of the proposed railway up towards Raheng. The Duke of Sutherland was entertained at Panjom and Sunghie Dua Samantan Mining dinner on the 26th ult. by Mr. E. B. Michell His Grace left Bangkok on the 27th ult. in his yacht Sans Peur for Singapore and Johore.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

The subjoined telegrams are extracted from Indian papers received yesterday:-

CONSERVATIVE VICTORY AT DEPTFORD.

London, 1st March. Mr. Charles Darling, Q.C., Conservative, has been elected for Deptie d defeating Mr. Wilfred Ulant by 275 votes. Mr. Darling takes the seat -rendered vacant by the resignation of Mr. Evelyn. RUSSIA AND BULGARIA.

BOMBAY, 27th February, The Lendon correspondent of the Times of India telegraphs:-The Russian commique upon the situation in Bulgaria rejects the idea of the restoration of legal status in the Principulity by use of force. There will be no withdrawal of troops so long as there is no reduction in European armaments. The exchange value of the Russian rouble touched on Thursday the lowest point over reached in time of peace.

CONSTANTINOPLE, 27th February. It is not expected that the Porte will at once comply with Russia's request conveyed through

LONDON, 29th February. England, replying to Russia regarding the action proposed to be taken in connection with Bulgaria, states she is unable to advise the Sulfan to follow the course suggested before satisfactory proposals for the future rule of

Rumours are current that a Conference will Manile 29,93 he called to discuss the Bulgarian question. THE AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN ARMY. VIENNA, 29th February. Austria-Hungary is carrying on negotiations for the increasing of the Army on expiration

THE NEW CROWN PRINCE. BERLIN. 29th February. Prince Wilhelm is travelling to San Remo to be with his father. This telegram was subsequent to the one stating that the case of the then Crown Prince had been given up as hopeless.—ED. D. P. 1

of the present Army law.

SIR C. BERNARD. LONDON, 27th February. Sir Charles Bernard, recently appointed return to Iudia, and has accepted instead the to Mr. W. G. Pedder, C.S.I., resigned.

INDIAN RAILWAY LOANS. LONDON, 27th February. The House of Commons has authorized the raising of ten and one-third millions for the purchase of the Oude and Rohilkand Railway. and has also sanctioned the raising of ten mil or fifty men, elected two of their number as equipment of railways in India, through the agency of the various companies. leaders, under the title of quan and doi. and THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION REPORT.

London, 28th February. Lord Cross announced last night that, unless Lord Dufferin telegraphs that he has objections he will lay the report of the Public Service Commission before the House on an early day this week, and he took the opportunity afforded Commission for the great trouble they had taken in the discharge of their operous duties.

EXPEDITION FOR SIKKIM. CALCUTTA, 29th February. A field force has been ordered for Sikkim under Colonel T. Graham, R.A., consisting of 4 guns of the ninth first Northern division, 200 men of the Derbyshire Regiment, 400 of the 13th Pioneers, about 700, the whole to start from Si peculiar only to a part of the birds or whether | that more Thibetans have occupied Lungtu fort. causes the death of all of them after a year or see the Vicercy at Darjeeling. A demonstration of these nests annually gathered—which is only His Excellency proceeds direct to Europe on the

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS. BOMBAY, 29th February. H. M. S. Kingfisher and Reindeer have ar-

cruising in the Red Sea, Persian Gulf, and commission a new crew left by H. M. S. Humber The Duke of Connaught will be the guest of CALCUTTA, 29th February.

Lieutenant Campbell, Calcutta Volunteer

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE Monnay, 19th March. EXCHANGE.

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SHARES. Quotations are :---Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares-154 China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares-868 per share. 🛒 🛶 North China Insurance—Tls. 265 per share.

Yangteze Insurance Association-Tls. 108 per share. Chinese Insurance Company, Limited—1190 per share, sellers. On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tis. 14 per share. Canton Insurance Office, Limited—\$75 per abare, ex div. Hongkong Fire Indirance Company's Shares—

\$330 per sbare, ex div. sellers. per share, ex div. sollers. Straits Marine Insurance Company, Limited-`\$29 nom., sellers. \$191, ex div. longkong and Whampon Dock Company's Shares—33 per cent. prem., ex div. buyers.

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15 per cent. discount. China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited —**—853 per share.** Douglas Steamship Company, Limited-\$50 per Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-\$125 per

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Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company -\$20 per share. Company, Limited-\$11 per share. Perak Sugar Cultivation Company-Tls. 18 per Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Li-

mited-\$49 | per share, sellers. A. S. Watson & Co., Limited-75 per cent premium, buyers. Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. Limited—\$138 per share, ex div. Singapore Insurance Company, Limited-\$21 Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B-7 per cent. premium, sales. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-8 per cent.

promium, nom., sales. Chinese Imperial Loan, 1886 E-9 per cent. premium, nom. HONGKONG TEMPERATURE. (Fack Messes, Palconer's Co.'s Reserve,) March 10th.

Berometer-1 P. M. Thormometer-Ly.M........ Thormometer - 1 P.M. and the second of the s

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. 16th March, 1988, at 4 r.w.

30.20 19th March, 1888, at 10 4, 3. Nagasaki .

The Barometer has risen along the coast and fallen over Luzen. There is a depression in Japan. Cloudy, damp and comparatively cool weather prevails. W. DOBERCK. Hongkong Observatory, 19th March, 1888. METROROLOGICAL REGISTER

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MAILS EXPECTED.

THE ENGLISH MAIL. The P. & O. steamer Venetia, with the Eng. sh mail of the 18th ultimo, left Singapore at 8 a.m. on the 15th, and is due here on the evening of the 20th instant.

THE GERMAN MAIL. The Norddeutscher Lloyd steamer Prouseen, with the Gorman mail of the 21st February, left Singapore at 8 a.m. on the 16th, and is due here on or about the 21st instant.

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The O. & O. steamer Belgic, with the American mail of the 24th ultimo, left. Yokohama on the 18th, and may be expected here on or about the 21th instant. THE INDIAN MAIL.

The steamer Japan, with the next Indian mail, left Singapore on the 19th, and is due here on or about the 25th instant. THE CANADIAN NAIL.

The Canadian Pacific steamer Abyssinia, with the next Canadian mail, left Vancouver on the 6th March, and is due hero on or about the 5th

STEAMERS EXPECTED. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Patroclus left Singapore on the 14th, and is due here on the

20th instant. The D. D. R. stoamer Olympia left Singapore on the 15th, and is due here on the 22nd inst. The P. & O. Extra steamer Kashgar, left Bombay on the 13th, and is due here on or about.

the 30th instant The Ben Line steamer Benkovers left Singapore on the 15th, and is due here on the 22nd The Glen Line steamer Glenogle, left Singa-

pore on the morning of the 18th, and is due here on or before the 24th inst. The Shire Line steamer Glamorganshire left Singapore on the 19th, and is due here on the

POST-OFFICE NOTICES: The Postal Guide for 1887, revised to date will be found in the Daily Press Directory. o. 385 large edition, p. 701 small edition. This the only authorised complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given: For Shanghai.—Per Uppingham, to-day, the

20th inst., at 1.30 r.m. For Straits and Calcutta.—Per Taisang, today, the 20th inst., at 2.30 r.m. For Amoy and Manila.—Per Diamante, to-[13] day, the 20th inst., at 3.30 p.m. For Shangiai.—Per Yangtsze, to-day, the 20th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Swatow and Amoy.—Por Cheang Hok Kian, to-day, the 20th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Tamsui.—Per For-

mosa, to-day, the 20th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Haifang -- Par Alming to-day the 20th inst, at $5.00~\mathrm{P.M.}$ For Saigon.—Per Duburg, on Thursday, the 22nd inst., at 4.30 P.M. For Sydney, Melbourne, and Adelaide.—Per Catterthun, on Saturday, the 24th inst., at 2.00

For Singapore-Fer Hesperia, on Saturday, the 24th inst., at 3.30 p.m. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Anadyr will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 21st inst., with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe. and places beyond, via Marseilles; to Saigon, [721 Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras,

Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c. The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Bank Notes. Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into

[19] alloged losses of such letters. HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT

THE ENGLISH MAIL. Two Days before Departure. 3.00 p.m.—Reception of Purcels coases Day before Departure. 2.00 P.M .- Money Order Office closes. 2.00 P.M.—Posting of Prices Current and Cir-

country by country, with the addresses all one way Those for the United Kingdom most be divided into (1) London, (2) England and Wales, (3) Scotland, (4) Ireland; those for Germany into (1) Hamburg, (2) ther places in Germany.) 4.00 r.m.—Registry ceases. Posting of newspapers, books, and patterns ceases. 500 P.M. - Mail closes.

(Prices Current and Girculars may however be posted up to 4 a clock if they are tied in buildles.

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cording to the enrrency the order is drawn in.) Ip to £ 2, or \$10, or 20 Rupees 0.20 cents. 2 5, or \$25, or 50 Rupees 0.40 conta 4.—No orders must exceed £10 or \$50 (unless drawn on India, when 150 rupees is the limit) nor will more than two such orders be issued to the same person, in favour of the same payee.

5.-Money orders on the United Kingdom for even sums not exceeding \$5 are granted by 1685 means of Postal Notes, as to which see separate notice or the Hongkong Postal Guide. 6.—Sums not exceeding \$50 may be remitted between the ports of Chin by means of Postage stamps, subject to a charge of one per cent. for cashing them; or money orders can be granted at Hongkong or Shanghai on ports where there

are Agencies of the Hongkong Post Office. + Small remittances can be made to this place by means of Postal Netos. See separate notice or the Postal Guide. TOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS. Neither the CAPTAINS, the AGENTS, nor the

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